

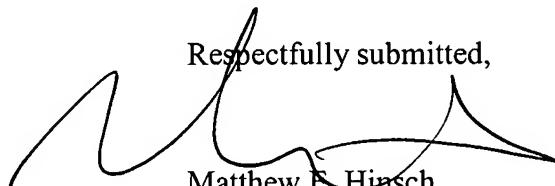
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REMARKS

Applicants also request entry of the amendments to the specification in adherence with 37 C.F.R. §§1.821 to 1.825. The information contained in the computer readable form of the Sequence Listing for Application No. 09/479,855, filed July 9, 2001, was prepared through the use of the software program "PatentIn" and is identical to that of the paper copy, a copy of which is enclosed for the convenience of the Examiner. This amendment contains no new matter.

If the Examiner believes a telephone conference would expedite prosecution of this application, please telephone the undersigned at 415-576-0200.

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